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	No. 13. Peel Street, at present in the co.	AUSTRALASIA AND CHINA	PUBLIC AUCTION. THE SECOND NIGHT SALE of FANCY ARTICLES and TOYS will take place		THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY.	THEATER ROYAL CITY HATIL
ber 21, Anguses, British str., 1,304, or utler, Shanghai 15th December, Gene-	npstion of Mr. P. B. CAMA. Possession from ne let proximo. TATA & Co.	TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.	TO-MORROW, the 23rd inst., at 8.30 P.M. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.	INVITE THE PROTECT OF THE LEE	PRELIMINARY NOTICE.  According to the International True.	THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL HONGKONG.
Brown, Liverpool 27th Oct., Port	1m 1863 Houghoug, 21st December, 1875. TO LET,	The following RATES for MESSAGES from	J. M. GUEDES, Jr., Auctioneer. 3d 1867 Hongkong, 21st December, 1875. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.	Ex Galatea, Montgomeryshire, Cawdor Castle,	GRAPH CONVENTION revised at ST. PETERS- BURG. 1875. and AGREEMENTS WITH THE EASTERN, EXTENSION, AUSTRALASIA. AND	THE "AUDACIOUS" AMATE DRAMATIC CORPS Will give TWO PERFORMANCES
d 11th November, Suez 13th, Pennig December, and Singapore 10th,	With Immediate Possession.  DWO DWELLING HOUSES and OFFICES.  Nos. 14 and 16, Stabley Street, lately in	HONGKONG will come into force on 1st  January, 1876 :  Per word.	TANE, URAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Acction, at their Sale Room,	Avoca, &c.— Blankets.	CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY, the following ALTERATIONS in RULES and REGULATIONS will be applicable to the telegraphic	THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, Dec. :
ber 21. Bonito, German bark, 524,	The HOUSE, No. 35, Wellington Street, tely in the occupation of Mesers. Rose & Co.	ADEN 1 90	Praya, on  FRIDAY,  the 24th December, 1875, at Noon,—	CARPETS PUCS	oorrespondence on and after  1st JANUARY, 1876.  A Word of 10 or less letters counts as a	TO-MORROW, December 23rd, 1875 Commencing with RANDALL'S THUME
allast.—Stemsmen & Co. ber 21, Fontenave, British ship, 634, of	The DWELLING HOUSE and OFFICES, to 1. Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of Mesers. DERVER & Co.	그런 사람이 보는 그는 사람들은 사람들이 그렇게 되었다. 하는 사람들이 되었다. 그런 사람들이 가장 그렇게 하는 사람들이 되었다. 나를 다 되었다. 그렇게 되었다. 나를 다 되었다. 그렇게 되었다. 나를 다 되었다. 그렇게 그렇게 되었다. 그렇게	An Invoice of CANTON PORCELAIN WARE comprising :- Large and Small Flower	PURDONIANS.	single word. It a word contains more than 10 letters, the remaining letters up to ten will be counted as an additional word, and so on. At	W'S GILBERT,
imber and RiceCAPTAIN. S	The DWELLING HOUSES, No. 13, Gage treet. The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 4, Alexandra	INDIA (Stations, West of Coit-	VASES, Large and Small JARS, with Covers, Tea CUPS and SAUGERS, PUNCH BOWLS, WASH BASONS, Descent PLATES, &c., &c.	FIRE GRATES, FENDERS and IRONS.	the same time the rules bitherto in our fer- Compound Words remain in force.  A Group of Figures, not exceeding Five,	To conclude with the Screen Scene from THE "SCHOOL FOR SCAND.
N	errace. The STORE and DWELLING HOUSE, To 31, Queen's Road, lately in the coonpation	INDIA (Stations East of Chit- Cagong and Ceylon) 1 40	48 Cases CHAMPAGNE. 20 CLARET.		figures up to five will be charged as an addi-	Dicas Oldica cuty will be available on "
DECEMBER 21st.	Miss GARRETT. The HOUSE and OFFICES. No. 3, D'Agui- ir Street, lately in the occupation of Mr. F.	JAVA 90 PENANG 90	5 1-Casks PURT WINE, 46 RIFLES,	RONBONS in Bountiful Bores	of any of the period ted languages, (viz., SECRET	Doors Open on WEDNESDAY at 7.45
for Singapore	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tt 1864 Hongkong, 2 let December, 1875.	WORDS containing MORE than TEN	TERMS OF SILE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots,	CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS.	Wornel will be charged up a proup of Figures.	Open at 8.15, to Commence at 8.45.  ADMISSION
oss, for Saigon. r, for New York.	Possession on the 1st January, 1876,	LETTERS will be treated as TWO WORDS.  Tariff Sheets will be issued shortly.	with all faults and errors of description, at pur- chaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. 1878 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1875.	CHRISTMAS TREE CANDLES.  JEWEL CASES.	transmission.  A COLLATED MESSAGE will be charged HALF the cost more than an ordinary Message. This	Tickete at LANE, ORAWFORD & Co.
ria, for Whampon.  f China, for Manils.  for Takso.	Messra Dent & Co.'s CENTRAL BUILD- RG.  ROZARIO & Co.		NOTICE. PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM	PERFUME CASES.	entra charges give the right to the sender of having the charge reimbursed if the Message is seriously mutilated.	for the transaction of public business
es, str., for Singapore and London.	1587 Hongkong, 25th October, 1875.  TO BE LET,	Offices-Burd's Lane. 14d 1856 Hongkong, 17th December, 1875.	NAVIGATION COMPANY.	Ladies' WORK BAGS.	N.B.—COLLATION OF A MESSAGE in- volving this extra charge is OBLIGATORY for Messages written in figures or secret	1876 :
iber 21, Teresa, for Manila.	With Immediate Possession, THE HOUSE No. 7, Gough Street. Apply to	FOR SALE.	kobama, or TUESDAY, the 28th inst.  For further Particulars, apply to the Under-	Ladies' WORK BOXES.  Ladies' DRESSING CASES and BAGS.	words.  RATES.  1.—The Rates for Messages between this	O. MORLAND KERR,
ber 21, JOHANN CARL, for Singapore. ber 21, BALGOWNIE, for Whampoa. ber 21, St. Paul, for Bangkok.	GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. 1478 Hongkong, 29th September, 1875. TO LET.	LETTS' DIARIES for 1876, in every variety.  LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	signed. A. MoIVER.	Gentlemen a DRESSING CASES and BAGS.	Company's Stations in China and Japan remain unaltered, 10 and 20 word rates being minimum	INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA, H. H. NELSON,
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Passengers.	Road.	CHREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES.	WANTED, on lat of January next, by a Single Man (English), BOARD and RESIDENCE, in Hongkong. Address, stating	SCRAP ALBUMS.  RECORD ALBUMS.	Japanese Stations beyond Nagasaki. 2.—For Messages between this Company's Stations in China or Japan and Europe, when the Northern or the	For the COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE I
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Deucation, atr., from Liverpool, &c.— and Mrs. Quin, Miss Muckensie and ser- and 500 thinese.	Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD. 1464 Hongkong, 28th September, 1875.	follows: On MONDAYS, TUESDAYS, WEDNES-	CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT	BADMINTON. Keug's Champagne.	only being charged for. This RATE is FIXED AT \$2.00 PER WORD.  N.B.—I. Messages for Europe written in	CORPORATION, JAMES GREIG, Chief Mana
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Anchise, str., for Singapore, &c. :— sbin and 2 seamen	Queen's Road. Apply to G. FALCONER.	Corner of Wyndham and Wellington Streets (Nearly opposite the German Club.)		TOYS, in great variety. INKSTANDS.	THE Government of Japan publishes on the 12th Month (December) of each year, for the use of Mariners, a	and the firm of the same of th
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er throughout to the China Sea, then got v.E. monsoon from the Coast of Luzon, ery heavy weather.	tf 512 Hongkong, 4th October, 1875.  TO LET.  A FIRST OLASS GRANITE GODOWN	Apply to S. E. BURROWS & SONS.	the 1st APRIL, 1876, otherwise their Claims will not be recognised.  ADOLF ANDRE,		time of purchase, as changes or corrections may have been made, and no reliance can be placed on any List which has been published for a	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPAN
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mber, Suez on the 13th, Penang on 6th mber, and Singapore on the 10th at 5 p.m. rienced hard gales from the N.N.E. and a	TO LET.	VV 17. WINDHAM STEELT, Next to the "Daily Press" Office.	NOTICE.	PARISIAN BONBON BOXES.	CRAWFORD & Co., at Yokohama, Shangbai and Hongkong: from Mesura. Kiebi & Co. at Kobe; from Mesura. ADAMS & Co. at Nagasaki	will be despatched on or about the 2nd pa For Freight or Passage, apply to
	LANDS," newly painted and in Good Order.	N.B.—Price Lists and Samples on application. 935 Hongkong, 16th June, 1875.	FALCONER, Deceased.	CARD TRAYS. COTHERSTONE CHEESE.	and also at the Lighthouse Office, Benten Yokobama; Price, 25 Cents.	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, 1874 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1875
British ship Fontenays reports left Bang. on 28th October. Had light Southerly down the Gulf. Passed Pulo Obi Island	Apply to REMEDIOS & Co. tl 181 Hongkong, 22ad January, 1875.	and Saturdays, from 8,30 to 9,30 P.M.; also an	har the above Estate are requested to send in Particulars of the same to the Undersigned	d ISIGNI BUTTER.	BATOW YOZO, TODAI NO KAMI.  R. HENRY BRUNTON, Engineer.  Lighthouse Department, Benten, Yokohama	
.E. monsoon on the Sth, and stood across	HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING	and Fridays, at the same hours.  J. M. HANLON.	on or before the 28th Day of February, 1876 after which date no Claims will be recognised.  And all Persons being indebted to the sale	PLUM PUDDINGS.	12th Month, 8th year of Meiji. (December, 1875.) 1m 1865 Yokohama, 9th December, 1875.	WADE MECUM, OB MASONIC QUOTATION
on the 15th. Had light N.E. winds and reather until passed North Cape on the 2nd	PAID UP CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars. RESERVE FUND 100,000 of Dollars.	1m 1785] 5. Hollywood Road.  DANISH CONSULATE,	L.B. FALCONER,	KIPPERED SALMON.	CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COM PANY, LIMITED.	Containing the Manonie Manual and with the Laws, Order Officers, Regalia,
ecember; from thence to Caps Bolinao rate N.E. winds and fine weather. On the and 12th bad a heavy gale from the N.E.	Deputy Chairman - W. H. Fornes, Esq.	Hongkong, 18th August, 1875.  NTOTICE is bereby given, that Charts of	Queen's Road, Hongkong,  6th December, 1875. [1796]	ROSE WATER, COSTURE,	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	and Banners of the Procession, according the different Lodges in Hongkong; for by a Lecture on the "Masonic Deity and State of the Piters of t
put on her beam ends, got the sail of the and the ressel with her head to the East-	E. R. Helliot, Esq. J. S. Oorden, Esq. J. S. Oorden, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq.	GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S OABLE have been placed in the Harbour	TRADE MARKS.	BOUQUET, ZCCLOGICAL,  MARKIAGE MARKET, IMPERIAL,	the Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholder	Pleasures of a Masonio Dinner, by the Windens Longo, M.A.; Price 50 Cents.
On the 13th the ship or her beam, ends ale continued. At 10 a.m. the cargo again ad got the ship before the wind with great	Chief Manager. Hongkong—James Greig, Esq., Monager.	master's Office, as well as in this Consulute/for the information of Shipmasters and Pilots. I any vessel should accidentally get hold of the	TRADE MARKS, Stamps, Device Headings, and Tickets belonging to the lat	8, Hunt the Slipper.	held on the 21st June, is PAYABLE on the 31st DECEMBER INSTANT, at the CHARTERE MERCARTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND	WANTED, a SITUATION by a CI
city, but could not take the main batches trim cargo, got the after batch open and weargo overboard from the after part of the	Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq.  London Bankers—London and County Bank.	Cable and bring it to the surface, the Master is requested to do all in his power to clear i without damaging it.	Aytoun Street, Manchester, and Leadenha Street, London, or used in any way in conne	PIOKLED HERRINGS.	ORINA, Hongkong, Interest at the rate of 12 % per annum with the charged against the holder for the time	R. Office of this Puper. 1860 Hongkong, 20th December, 187
to the Coast of Luzon, when cleared the part of the tween decks and took a quan-	HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of	The following is the expose of the track of the	SOLE PROPERTY of Mesars, GEO, and I	RUSSIA TONGUES.	being of any Shares, in respect of which the above mentioned Instalment shall not be paid by the said Slat December.	Man, age 27, EMPLOYMENT ( elsewhere), as OLERK, Assistant Book
of rice aft to trim it from side to side as ired. Left Point Dila, Luzon, on the 18th at, and arriving at Hongkong on the 21st,		Cable is landed in the middle of Deep Water Bay, from where it runs about South midway	DEWHURST, of 53, Brown Street, in the sulprise of Manchester.  Legal proceedings will be taken against an	ORYSTALISED FRUITS:  WIXED CANDIED PEEL.	By Order, W. H. RAY, Secretary	Purser, or any place of trust; three y China; good references, salary moderate dress "J.M.," office of this Paper.
very great dificulty, after a passage of 54 from Bangkok.		between Middle Island and Hongkong Island round Round Island, curving S.E. and E. mid way between Tytam Peninsula on Hongkong	person directly or indirectly using, copying, colourably imitating any of the aforesa. Stamps, Devices, Headings, and Tickets.	id Foles Gras.	1m 1687 Roughong, 15th December, 1875. NOTICE.	1704 Bongkong, 17th November, 18
Trom Fortes in China, and and	Gredits—granted on approved Scourities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.	from which place it runs East for about a hun	GEO. AND R. DEWHURST, 53, Brown Street, Mancheste	and the first of the contract	HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.	Notices to Consignees NOTICE.
Manila (Per last Mail's Advice.)  Vessils. From Date of Arrival.	Drafts—granted on London, and the chie commercial places in Europe, India, Australia America, China and Japan.		of THE Undersigned has been appointed  AGENT at this Port for Messrs. HENR		THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 24th instan	TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL C EX O. S. S. CO. S S.S. DEVCAL
ermopylaFoochow	JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East,	Northward of Chapel Island between Woo Se	e Orpicz—No. 6, Stanley Street. W. H. NOTLEY,	Roederes Champagne. French Jams.	until the 6th proximo, both days inclusive.  A. NEWTON,  Manager	FROM LIVERPOOL. SHIPPING Orders must be obtained the Undersigned not later than t
entor (g.)	Hungkong, 12th August, 1875.	and Chanchat Rocks, close to the North of Teing Seu, close to the North of Taepan Shoal and close under Taepan Boint, from where i	PATENT SLIP & DOCK COMPAN	Y ESSENCES.	1814 Hongkong, 11th December, 1875. NOTICE.	instant, for shipment per SARPEDON. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. 6d 1875 Hongkong, 22od December.
rica (e.) Hongkong Nov. 5	QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY	runs in a straight line to the landing place which is just inside the Southern Point of the Island of Kulang Seu.	NOVELTY INON WORKS, No. 32, Praya West,	CHOCOLATE, in Funny Boxes.  DRAGEES.	THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPAN
essel's Name. Prom. Dates. Dates. Detection Dates. Detection Methods 29	ertent of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or or Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates	From 25 miles outside Chapel Island the Cable rune N.E. about 30 miles outside Chim mo, 15 miles off Turnabout, 30 miles off Tun	IRON AND BRASS FOUNDERS.	DESSERT BISOUITS. MINOEMEAT.	THE Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to the Sla	al cargo is being discharged into Craft and
one Cardiff April 28 bert Book Falmouth May 3 rker June 26	eubject to a Discount of 20 % on the premia.  EDWARD NORTON & Co.,  Agents	Ying, from which place it bends more North ward, 25 miles off Pib Ki Shan, 20 miles of	# THE Undersigned is now prepared to ta	SACCONE'S and other SHERRIES.	instant, both days inclusive.  JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,  Secretary	at the Godowns of the Undersigned; ones it will lie at Consigness risk. The will be ready for delivery from Godown
detreumLondonJune 30 nnesotaChurleston(U.S.)June 30	tt 8 Hongkong, January, 1875.  BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE	to North of the Leuconna Group, where rounds and turns West autil it, at a point mid	COPPERING; also large REPAIRS to Ha.  and Machinery, &c.  A Large Assortment of Spars and Lumber	SOBINO, &c., &c.	VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN	Goods undelivered after 29th De 1875, will be subject to Rent.
nerica	COMPANY.  THE Undersigned having been appointe	Ohin San Group, runs within a mile South of Davis Islands and S.W. and W. of Morriso	Tron and Copper Plates, Iron and Brass Roo Pitch, Oakum, and Felt. Sheathing Metal at Nails, Rivets, Screw Bolts and Wood Scre-	ad	OF HONGKONG, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, 8d 1876 Hongkong, 21st December,
efano	Agents for the above Company, are pre- pared to grant Insurances as follows:— MARINE RISKS.	South West side.  Starting from the same place on Gutzlaff two Cobles follow the East and North side of the	Boate and Steam Launches built to order.	29d 1783 Hongkong, Srd December, 1874.	A FIRST DIVIDEND of ONE HUNDER	AMERICAN SHIP SAMUEL G., FROM NEW YORK.
yleLondonAugust 13 rah Nicholson CardiffAugust 17	Policies at current rates, payable either here in London, or at the principal ports of India	e. Yangteze River's South Bank, as near inshore on the bank as possible right up to Pheasar	Manag Office, Novelty Iron Works, Praya West,	TAKASIMA COLLIERY. 48 JARDINE, MATHESON AND Co., AGENT	Bole at the Oppices of the Hongroud An	named Vessel are hereby reque
arias London Sept. 4	Anstralia, and the Hast.  A BROKERAGE of TRIRTY-THREE and ONE THIRD PER CENT. will be allowed on all LOCA.	Point, where they turn into the Wooshb River along the right bank until they cross the L Woosung River close beneath the Bar Mark	A H KING begs to inform the Public the A his FURNITURE ROOMS are now	INOR SALE, Fresh TAKASIMA COAL, in lots to suit Purchasers.	n RONG, on and after January 1st, 1876, on which day Shareholders are requested to apply to	h ed for Countereignature, and to take im delivery of their Goods.
arolus MagnusRio JaneiroSept. 4 bristianSept. 7 ugusteCardiffSept. 18	RISKS.  FIRE RISKS.  Policies granted on First-class Buildings t	pany's Station.  From Gutzlaff the Cable to Nagaeaki is run	Road, next to the Comptoir d'Escompte Paris; where all descriptions of Articles nec	de per Ton; Small, at \$6 per Ton.  Apply to T. G. GLOVER,	Road. Viotoria, producing at the same tin	will be landed and stored at Consigneral and expense.
ormosa	an extant of \$20,000.  A Discount of Twenty Per Cent. (20-)	ham's Islands, and midway between Bonbar and Brooke's Islands, then Easterly, North	eary for completely Furnishing a House, m be had on reasonable Terms.	No. 7, Queen's Road, and at East Poin 1787 Hongkong, 4th December, 1875.	December, 1875, both days inclusive.	1858 Hongkong, 18th December, 18
arrickaLondonOot. 4 ermannCardiffOot. 6 crdinandCardiffOot. 13	count being deducted at the time of the issu	Islands, from which place it runs in a straight line about E.N.E. till midway between Palls	BE TOURIBE'S GUIDE REDUCED PRICE \$1.	LAVING resigned my Situation in the Yorn Fat Hong, I have this day established myself as MERCHANT and COM	ADOLF ANDRE, Liquidator	O THE STATE OF THE
smeraldsCardiffOct. 14	of policy.  RUSSELL & Co.,  Agent	ூர்   நடையில் நடித்த சுரிய முற்று அரசு பிருந்து நடித்து இரு நடித்து இருந்து இருந்து இருந்து இருந்து இருந்து இர	St Containing the names of all the Articles Trade, objects of Natural History, Furnita &c., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pront	of MISSION AGENT, ander the Style of "Sure, Gere & Co."  O. SUN GHEE.	KHAN CHUND OHUTTAMUL. Sindh, Cashmere, Delbie, Bombay,	L, NOTICE.
lockwoodOardiffOat. 16 Bufmose (8.)LondonOot. 30 British GrownCardiffNov. 1	POSITIVE GOVERNMENT SEQUELT: LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,	YANG TSZE INSURANUE ASSOCIA-	olation.	1685 Hongkong, 12th November, 1875. THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE	Rampoor, Madras, and Sorut,  MERCHANT AND GENERAL DEALE  HAS FOR SALE	above Steamer, are hereby informed the
berria (s)LiamburgNov. 2 berria (s.)LiverproiNov. 4	LIMITED,	TION OF SHANGHAL. CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 800,000 TAEL	The Daily Press Office.  THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE	COMPANY.	Shawle, Sandalwood Boxes, Gold and Silv	at the Company's Godowns, whence
Anction Sales To-day.	OHAS. H. MORGAN, Agent. 1y 944 Hougkong, 18th June, 1875.	POLICIES granted on Marine Bisks to a	COMPANY, LIMITED.  HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.	tagainst FIRE on Buildings and on Goods	10	intimation is received from the Consig
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phase. It is obvious to the most casual observer that the Sick Man is almost in extremis. He has indeed only lingered on because his existence has been a political necessity. If he is allowed another brief lease of life, it will be on account of the facthat his total collapse would render the Eastern problem yet more intricate and difficult of solution. It is because the states. men of Europe see no satisfactory way out the lispute was on a building contract. of the great difficulty that they have so long tolerated—the presence of such an effete and corrupt power in their midst. But though from this cause Turkey has for years been safe from external attack, it was impossible to pleased a sol-off of \$41.25 for repairs to the purge her internally. The elements of dis. houses for damage caused by the typhoon of ruption have long existed within, and they are now actively ut work. It is questionable The struggle going on is between the did not believe that the damage in question was some to be a burglar. He found a mit at the Community here of the creek a stockade. Mr. Daly had the further whether it is right to intervene further. Crescent and the Cross, and it is manifest trivial that the sympathies of Christian Powers are enlisted on the side of the rebels. But their hands are stayed by the question-If the SULTAN falls and Turkey be dismembered, what is to become of the fragments, and who is to reign on the Bosphorus? It seems impracticable to build up a new Greek promissory notes. Mr. Holmes was for plainorection of a number of small independent principalities would be impolitic, since they would always be under the thumb of the neighbouring great Powers; and it would be equally unwise to allow of the partition of Turkey and the acquisition of Constantinople by Eussia. Hence it comes to pass that the great Powers of Europe join in deprecating interference, and meanwhile the struggle goes on, all Europe anxiously Warson & Co. (of Shangbai) v. F. B. KAVIER watching the course of events.

But beneath the apparent calm there is a great and serious uncasiness felt as to the .. power of attorney, but he said he would not future. Great Britain is especially interested in the fate of Turkey. It is not yet quite twenty years ago that, to support the totter. ing power of the Porte, she gave freely of her blood and treasure. Where are now the affidavit, as if defendant had appeared and fruits of the victories of the Crimea? Gone. And, recognizing the fact, the British Government is now easting about for some new solution of the great puzzle which has so long baffled European politicians. The peo. ple of the United Kingdom have at length come to regard the dissolution of Turkey as inevitable, and have just arrived at a conclusion which, as the Pall Mall Gazette ob serves, will astonish nobody, irritate nobody A cry has been raised of Egypt for the English. Sinke the Crimean War, the British interest in that country has mainly arisen. The opening of the Suez Canal marked an era in history. It may not have been apparent to the KHEDINE at the time, but that event really made it essential that Egypt should be neutral ground or be held as a dependency of the British Empire. The magnitude o British interest in the East instantly made the free pavigation of the Canal a matter of vital importance. Not only is it now the chief means of communication with our Indian Empire, but through it flows the vast and cartidge inside. In endeavouring to remove ever increasing commerce with the Straits. China, and Japan. It is not surprising veried from working three months, and he therefore, when the evidences of Turkey's would suffer from the accident the whole of his decay are so patent, that it should dawn upon British perception that in any case Egypt through the Colony. must be secured, and the road to India and the far East kept open. There is as yet no demand for annexation. That would not capied in making and repairing game. Defend- extinguished before any very cerious damage. be necessary, it is to be hoped. But the KHEDITE may possibly one day become a tributary of the English Crown. The barrels with the stock bid been tampered with fall of the Ottoman Empire will not mean Egyptian independence, but it may mean something much better for that country for it cannot be doubted that under a British protectorate it would make rapid progress in civilisation and commercial prosperity.

No doubt political considerations of the to do with the recent purchase by the British in the affairs of Egypt, and to take measures In the course of a few short years, it becomes up in bed for a fortnight, and it was three tinues is all other parts of Syria;

obtain substitutial possession of Egypt, it will insist upon the country heing better governed, and the slave trade utterly abolished. No tentimental equamnishness about interfering with the institutions of the country should induce a Christian Power to tolerate the oppression and vices which existed under Moslem rule. It is possible that very large and sweeping reforms might arouse a troublesome hostility, but the gradual and cautious check of abuses and corruption would not be likely the people. At present, however, the future of Egypt is only beginning to arouse attention. but few have advanced beyond the admission that it is a populiarly English question. Her MAJESTY's Government will be slow to move. will retrain from making any sign, perhaps, until it is beyond dispute that Turkey is at its last gasp. Then there will be little time Orders for Obpies may be sent to the Daily to consider, and instinctively British attention will be turned to Egypt. It is impossible to suy how soon the necessity for action may arise, but the time cannot be faroff. The death of ALEXANDER II. would procipitate matters, for there would then be no restmint upon the obstruction. Mesers Kelly & Co. Shanghai the national party in Russia, who are even now change at the long delay in the carrying HARROW and | Mesers, Hall & Molin and Kelly out of the policy of Peter the Great It is therefore, well to be prepared and to provide for every contingency that may follow the

> The Edinburgh arrived on the 19th linetant at Adehide, South Australia, where she is Wales.

We learn that a telegrain bas been received announcing that the French barque Amiral Devoulz has become a total wreck in the Straits of Sunda. She left here the beginning of this month with a full cargo bound to London.

A Batavian paper states that the commission of inquiry into the matter of the collision between the Willem Kroonprine der Nelerlanden and Atjeh has accomplished its task. In our opinion, it is to be expected that the report of the commission will be published. Hitherto it has not been received by the N. I. S. N. Company. After the arrival of diving apparatus from Singapore, the steamer Khiva left on the 24th ultimo again for the wreck of the Willem Kroon. pring, in order to attempt to recover the mail and some of the cargo. In the opinion of experts it will be, however, difficult to succeed in Buything more than the recovery of the mail, if such a thing be possible, before the vessel has THE Eastern Question is assuming a new

> SUPREME COURT. 21st December SUMMART JURISDICTION.

BREORE ME. JUSTICE STOWDER

A BUILDING CONTRACT. LOO POO AND WONG HING V. CHUNG YING \$629.30 -Mr. Holmes, for plaintiffe, applied that the case be referred to some architect; as Defendant consented, and Mr. Alford was CLAIM FOR HOUSE REPAIRS.

J. A. CARVALHO V. WONG TONG, \$70,-Thi vas a chim for house rent. Defendant, wh leared a number of houses from plaintiff. Plaint if admitted that under the lease

was bound to pay for damnge done by typhoons done by the typhoon, and, besides, it was very Defendant proved the damage, by calling the

His Lordship and be would look into th

tense, and would give judgment on Tuesday CHOY CHEW KEEV. WONG PUN CHUI AND ANOTHER, \$541.41, This was a claim on four

they had been summoned for next Tuesday, and his Lordship adjourned the case till that day. ANOTHER ADJOURNED CASE. CHANG AS KOW T. BURNIE, \$406.GO,-Mr. Sharp was for plaintiff and Mr. Brereton for

Mr. Brereton applied that the case might be postponed till the arrival of the Douglas, of vhich resset defendant is muster. She would be here on Wednesday. Mr. Sharp consented to the application, and

the case was advented till Thursday. CLAIM FOR GOODS SOLD \$65.75 -This was a claim for goods sold and

- Mr. Driscoll appeared for the plaintiffs, under Defendant did not put in an appearance, but

Mr. Driggoll said he had admitted the debt." his Lordship said he would give judgmen for plaintiffs, but remarked that it would have been better if plaintiffs bad sent down a proper denied the debt plaintiffs dould not have re-CLAIM FOR CLOTHING

WA CHEONG V. THE SAME, 264.25,-Thi was a claim on a promissory note, for goods r, Dennys, who appeared for plaintiff, said the defendant had written to him acknow

ledging the debt, and he proved the promissors His Lordship gave judgment for plaintiff. CLAIM FOR TIMBER: KWOK HUNV. LEONG LING. \$700 -This was olalm on a promissory pute.

Mr. Deunys was for plaintiff. Defendant, who is a timber merchant, and bought the wreck of the Imogene, did not ap-

The debt was proved and judgment given for DAMAGES FOR INJURIES FROM A GUN.

S. HMIDT Y. ECHULTER, \$500. - This was ction to recover damages for injuries received from the explosion of a londed gun." Mr. Johnson was for plaintiff, and Mr.

Brereton for defendant. Mr. Johnson said plaintiff was a gunmaker well known in this Colony, and he brought the action to recover demages through the negligence of defendant, who lives at Newchwans in sending him a gun to reput with a loaded the carriage it exploded, wounded three fingers of his left hand in such a way that be was preife. Plaintiff now sought to recover damages from the defendant, who happened to be passing

Wm. Schmidt, the plaintiff, said-I am a

eleven years. My time has been wholly ooant sent me his breech-leading gun to repair in April, 1874. The gun had evidently been in Uhinese hands, and the book connecting the I repaired it, and returned it. It was sent me a second time in September, and I found i broken in the same place, and the linching pin was also broken. The injuries must bave been enused by its being misused, and the wrong cartridge placed in the barrel. While repairing it. I observed an obstruction in the barrel, and speaking from my experience I did not think that it could have been a cartridge, but I thought it was a bull. kind above alluded to have had something sounded it, and it seemed like metal at both ends. It was atuck so fast that I feared the barrel might be widered, and I tried boring in the Government of the shares held by the centre. The third turn of the screw touched KuepryE in the Suez Canal. This acquisition the cap of the castridge, and the friction buused gives it a greater right to assume an interest it to explode. The first three fingers of my left hand were injured. The metal and pastsboard of the cartridge came back, and the shot! if such appear .necessary, to ensure the went out at the muzzle. My fingers were supremacy of British influence there. It is to shaltered, and I sent at once for Dr. Gerlach. nonnee a revival of cholera at Aleppo, where as reserved it. He out open my first finger, and took out the many at 100 cases a day are ngain wederded.

THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY requisite for the British Government to months afterwards before I could do anything. make about \$150 a month. I lost that for expenses at \$50. I had to employ an extra the Empire. servant. The first finger is stiff now and will be for life. I received the gun for repairs the second lime from Mesars. Freerks, Rodatz & .Co. I stiempted to get some damages from defendant through the German Consul at Canhis jurisdiction. I then wrote to the German Consulat Newshwang and received from him province of Higo have petitioned to the Kendho moment believe that the present system of ing. After a voyage of four days, on the erea- including a man who died in consequence of

the letter produced. Letter read, in which the Consul said that Corean expedition. defendant stated that he gave his clerk instructions to write that the gun was loaded.

the barrel to secertain what the obstruction 189,850 daring 1871. to do so, and might find much favour with was but it never occurred to mo that it was a cartridge. It never occurred to me that it might structions from the muzzle but always from The first stage of inquiry has been reached, breech. I received no letter from defendant with the gun. The socident happened on the 20th October, 1874. My shop was open all the time I was ill, and my basiness went on as usual.

> Dr. Gerlich describing the injuries of the fingers, and etating that one of the fingers had been injured for life. Christopher O'Brien said be was garrison and on the 12th; another firs broke out in the armourer in Hougkong. He happened to visit Yoshiwara, the whole of which has been burnt defendant soon after the accident, and was to ashee. Five hundred houses bave been shown the gun. He had never heard of a car- destroyed, tridge being in the centre of the barrel of a Pirateg still infest the bay of Shinugawa and breech-loading gon. It would have been im- verghbouring waters. At midnight on the 6th

> if in front of the charge, and finding it wo then rowed away towards the cape of Kuwanbard there plaintiff bored from the other end. Mr. George Taufer, engineer, said he was a gunmaker. He went and eaw plaintill soon | says that pur croops, stationed at the after the accident, and was told how it happened. He never heard of a cartridge being in such a position. He did not know if it would have ordered to prepare to set out for Coren. The been possible to assertair what it was before

By Mr. Brereton-Turning the barrel up and Guarda. looking into it, it was quite possible to discover expected to coal and proceed to lay the cable a cartridge, as it could be seen. He thought be between New Zenland and Sydney. New South | would have operated by the muzzle to extract at present ; and three bondred Samurai, who bad taken the right course to remove the taken part in the rebellion, are tranquil. But obstruction, and was of opinion that if he had some of thom say that the reason they do not

> altimately have been successful. By Mr. Johnson-I have had to extract a cartridge, but knew before that it was a cartridge. If the barrel had been dirty, no one gould have seen that it was a cartridge. Mr. Redutz was next called, and said the gun thigh, but did not wound him mortally. When

was sent down to him along with a letter from defendant, asking him to hand it to plaintiff for repair. He produced a copy of the latter which merely naked him to hand it over to plaintiff for repair and return it as soon as poeaible. Witness also produced copies of several The onse at this stage was adjourned till Wednesday (this day) at ten o'clock.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE: 21st December.

BEFORE JAMES RUSSELL, Esq. SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER. Chan Aman, who gave himself out to be a rooth-powder maker, was charged on suspicion at Hong Ham, British Kowloon. At 9 o'clock Office will be removed from its present site at tast night he went out on patrol duty. During Benten to No. 134, Yokoluma, where the the day a man had reported to him the loss of business of the office will thenceforward be a blanket from Ma Tao Chenus, whilst he was transacted. away at Hongkong selling his vegetables. At 10 | About 10 o'clock on the night on the 8th inst o'clock last night be got near to the boundary a violent shock of earthquake was felt in Yokoand saw a light in a but on the hill side. He | hama. The shock, which lasted for about balf directed some constables to ge with bim. In minute, particularly alarmed some of the When he approached the but the light Bluff residents. The vibrations seemed to pass was extinguished. He entered and saw from West to East. prisoner had been there two months. The rumoured that the Kagoshima-mary and the No. afternoon. The object of the expedition was to prisoner said he was the son of the old man, and I, will follow.

pointed spikes, a small chisel, which would also death will be deplored by many, and not least called Gamatie, where he had been stopped not as a screw driver, a gimlet, and a dagger by those of the rising generation who have pro- some weeks previously when attempting to knife. These were all rolled in a bag produced. I fited by her instruction. he had come from Chinese territory. His are said to be on the tracks of the others. recently sharpened probably within the hat

The watchman said he took him before Capt. Ing his absence in Europe M. Lescasse will take about 30 or 40 yeards from the firm ground on Moss, who told him to take the prisoner to the | the orders of the French and German Govern- one side of the line of paddy fields, a party of No. 7 Police Station. On the road the prisoner | ments, respectively, on the aubject of these street Malays, about 200 atrong, showed thembit his finger, pushed him, and got away. The prisoner said he was bungry and took a im Japan; has discharged the duties of Parveyor | muskets, asking what he was doing in their quantity of the dates; but he did not bite the to the French forces for a period of five years, country, and threatening to eboot him if watch man's finger.

Sentenced to one month's hard labour. A DANGEROUS TRADE. occupant of the top floor of house No. 10, Oleverly | a safe return .- Jopan Gusette. street, for on the 18th instant, carrying on and conducting the noisome, dangerous, and offensive trade of boiling tar on the roof of his bouse

on Saturday last by Obinese constable 244, long continue so. But if we have many such when P. C. McClennan, who was sent down, incidents as that recently reverted to by you found that the defendant had allowed the tar | where a fellow, after wounding mative, burries to boil wer, setting the top of the house on fire. hway without attempting to make any amonde pleaded that it was the first time. He did it to meet with the same rigorous measures as our the some bouses. He was ordered to give per- friends further North. But if, on the contrary conal security in \$25 to answer and appear if called on for the next three months.

MARINE MAGISTRATES COURT. 21st December.

BEFORE H. G. TH. MEETT, ESQ., R.N. THE "EASTERN MONARCH." Alexander Adams, third officer on board the British ship Eastern Monarch, charged on the 20th instant. The prisoner, who had nothing to my in his defence, was sentenced to six weeks hard

P. L. John Barker with obstructing the fairway of the British stenmship Denoulion, were fined \$2 and \$4 respectively.

> CANTON. (From our own Correspondent.) 20th December.

There is little worth recording at this dul city, and what few items I can send are glenned from nutive sources. There have been two fires, but as ther them on a lurge scale. One occured at Honam on the 13th lostant, and ten small wooden gunmaker in flongkong, and bave been so for houses were burned down. Theother happened the following day in a cotton shop, but was

> had been done. A band of roobers have been plying their nefarious avocation with considerable success in the Hoksban district. No less than seven houses were successfully looted on one night recently, and the burglars got clear off with their booty.

Two shopkeepers had a quarrel in a beanand same in the fourth ward of the Western suburb about some debts, and ultimately got to fighting, with the result that one of them was killed, how is not very well understood, since knives were not in requisition. It is probable that the decouned was kicked on the head. The surviving combatant has been handed over to the Namhol magistrate.

The Marseilles journals record the failure of M. Isano Gasenbeim, merchant of that city. with liabilities estimated at 1,800,000ff. Constantinople, says the Levant Herald, an perhaps may-1 shall be glad to be able to and the const between them and Rac-el-Had; breaking to pieces!" be hoped, however, that if, as seems probable, metal and pasteboard produced. I was laid The decrease of the epidemic, however, con-

dred days from the 15th of March next. Kureda-Kiyotaka, Bileugua-Chiuja and Sangir is appointed Envoy Extraordioury. Minister stated as regards the greater number of the 18th of last month, barns destroyed amounted to fully a thousand. ton, but he could do nothing as it was out of Plegipotentlary, and Consul-General to Cores.

amounted to 33,500,675. Of these 16,408,946 the recent change, and some of the Osaka mor- of the islands. Here we found the wentler body. Had the curt bounks happened two By Mr. Brereton I put a ramvod down were women. The population increased by chants have for some time meditated an warm as that of epring in Lapan, the thermo- hours exciter, thousands of persons would

event bas occurred. A Japanese, who, judging. News. from his clothing, belonged to a superior class. Mr. Johnson then put in the certificate of for some cause entirely national cut the throat of a gegsha fatully, and then his own, On the 11th inst, a fire broke out in Natuko muchi in Tokio and destroyed forty-five bouses:

possible to tell what it was. Witness thought to 7th instant, a junk anchored off the sea coast plaintiff had taken the proper steps to remove of Hommoka, was boarded by three masked and armed men iz Enropean dress, who threat-By Mr. Brercton -There was a serew broken ened the orew and plundered the vessel, and

> The Nichi-nichi Shinbun of the 8th instant. moto camp, and the third battalion of the first regiment of the Imperial Guards have been Choya Shinbun contradicts these rumours, on the authority, as he states, of one of he Imperial

Notwithstanding the rebellion of last year in the Eagn-Ken that province enjoys prosperity continued his efforts by the muzzle he would trouble the medies is that a certain Sangi is anxious for a Corean expedition.

The Hochi-Shindum states that on the 5th

instant, some foreigners were hunting at Kuramura, Uchi-lobi, near Tokic, and that one of them shot a policeman in the cheek and they saw what had occurred they took to their heels and fled, closely followed by other policemen. Three of the party were arrested near the Railway atation at Shinagawa. According to the Hocht-Shinbun, Kuroda-Kiyotaka will leave for Corea on the 18th of 19th instant, at the head of the soldiery now stationed at the three military cumps of Oanks. Kumamoto, and Airoshima and two battilions of the Imperial Guards. The same paper adds that to the great joy of those who have been anxious for a Corean expedition, Hiroteu bas

YOKOHAMA. The Japanese Government bas sent America, per Oceanic, orders for two hundred brood mares and five thoroughbred stallions for he men stationed On the lat January next the French Post

Shanghai.—Japan Gazette.

the prisoner lying on a board. He told the We bear of a new line of atcamers to be left the Residency at Russ for Terraches, a prisoner, who was dressed, to get up. There started immediately to ply between this port place about 18 or 20 miles distant, and situated was an old man in the mat hut and a small boy, and Osaka. We can state positively that the lon the bolders of Sungie Ujong and Sri The old man was not able to walk, and said the Courier will be the pioneer of the line; and it is | Menanti, arrived there at one o'clock in the

over the head of the prisoner's bed. There have from the Japanese good at Nogeyama on the with those which he was engaged upon in been numerous buglaries in Kowloon recently, night of the 9th inst. with the congivance, it is Sungie Ujong. and the doors seemed marked with implements thought, of a warder of the prison. Five of such as those produced. The prisoner told him them have since been recaptured, and the police bands are quite soft, as if unaccustomed to By the French mail steamer on the 7th inst. tiffs. The defendants were not attendance, as mannal labor, The implements had been Monsieur J. Lescacee, architect, and Monsieur with six Police Peone for a place called Qualla left Japan for Europe. M. Lescasse will only chee and three from Cumatic. The case was then remanded until the 22nd. be absent from Tukobama about six months. On his return he will proceed with the erection | a mile from Terrachee, Mr. Daly found that the Luis Nicola, watchman at Cuptain Moss's of two important buildings, namely, the Ger- | path which ran along the raised divisions of Godowns, charged L. Alin, a pointer our ployed man Nava Hospital on Lot No. 40, Blaff, and some puddy fields was spiked with sharp stakes in the godowns, with steeling two catties of the New French Consulate and Post Office, on and be was obliged to leave the path and wade the site of the French Marine Barmoks. Dur- through the mad, and in this position, when buildings. Monsieur Martio, during bis stayoffice to the satisfaction of all with whom he

> P. C. Kenneth McClennan summened the we beartily wiel bon voyage, and to M. Lescasse Up to the present time our local sportsmen to the detriment and danger of the contiguous have been happily free from the annoying buildings, contrary to Esotion VI. Ordinance interference which their brothen of Yokobama and Yedo have experienced this season at the This case arose out of an alarm of fire made | bands of the native police, and I hope they will The defendant admitted the offence, but for his carelessness then we may expect to when an accident does happen every means are taken to relieve and domfort the aufferer, then we shall be in little danger of incurring the enmity of the natives, or, I fanor, the interference of the police. This latter course was. I am clad to say, the one pursued by two of our foreign residents, yesterday. The persons in question had wone out shooting, accompanied by a boy of about fifteen or sixteen years of age: They were somewhere in the vicinity of the old State Burge-bouse of the Shirguns, when, as one of them was on the top of a bank and the other Martin, a seaman ou board, with assauking him below a woodcock rose and both fired at lit Some shots from one of the guns struck the boy. who was on the lower ground; three of four pellete lodged in his band, one near his right emple and another in his neck. The latter however, was the only wound that was at al The owners of boats 3,732 and 1,459, charged dangerous, and from it the blood spurted at first in quite an alerming manner. One of the oreigners, after atsunching the blood, carried the boy a mile or more till the could get a iin rikisha, when be had him taken to the hospital The doctors there say the boy will be well in a few days. I have dwelt at what may seem to Regiment ander Lientenant Poyton. The last bim, so that he thought that he would be buried some an unnecessary length on this affair, be, advices from Essus are to the 3rd inst. At that under the ruing. On hands and knees be cause I am convinced that much ill-blood is engendered by the perpetrators of these accidents ment, and the barracks were being stockaded, of his children flesing up the road, while his form the funeral exhibitions and expenses, let reating the matter into cavalier a manner-nut often, I believe, ignoring what they bare done degether, but too often contenting Lhomselves

We had another fire on the morning after the one recorded in my last; the scene this time at Malacos on Saturday morning and left the door. A sob from the little one had indicated was in or near the Yedo Bori, but the damage same day via Lookoot for Bassa. done was unimportant.

I paid another visit to the exhibition yester. day, and was sorry to hear-albeit not surprised. considering the recent cold weather-that there from three to five hundred a day. Exhibitions 7th December. n winter are a mistake. I saw very few novel. ties amongst them being enother foreign contribution in the shape of a postal stamp album lent by Mr. Swaby.

Os. obtained a monopoly of the const trade and Telegraphic dommaniontion will shortly be raised its fores, and the Japan Gasette states of time. We think the gaving is rather over- the 4th instant:-The Choya-Shinbun states that a foreign re- poly, It would perhaps be promature to any grees in height.

THE CHINESE EMIGRATION TO

The Straits Times says :- The unofficial Bata via journals contain the following communifree Chinese emigration from Hongkong

" Mr. W. F. Groeneveldt, interpreter for the

Ohinese language at Batavia, was in July last charged by the Government with a mission to China, to bring about a free emigration of Chinese to Acheen. For that purpose, he was very advantageous conditione, but they would be perfectly free either to enter into the service of the Government, or to provide for their regulations at Hongkong forbad merely emihis ideas as to the line of policy to be Acting Netherlands Consul at Hongkong, Mr. Groenevoldt thereupon, openly and supported our landing here Japan Gasetle. by the newspapers, made a beginning with the engaging of emigrants, which succeeded so well that be, on the 7th October, was able to cater into a contract with a mercantile firm for the chartering of a yessel in which the first portion of the emigrants to Acbeen were to be conveyed. A portion of the Chinese population, however, saw unwillingly the success of this now emigration, protested against it to the Governor, and left for Coren, and Mori has already arrived at placed it in an unfavourable light before the barkation without further instructions from the Singapore Times. British Supreme Government. Mr. Groeueyeld, thinking that he could not wait these instructions, repaired afterwards to other poris not under the authority of the British Govern-

THE SALANGORE OUTBREAK We have been favoured by the Honorable the Colonial Secretary with the following account of affairs Bt Sungie Ujong :-On the 26th Nov., the Assistant Resident Capt. Murray, and Mr. Daly, accompanied by Lieut Hinxmon and 20 men of the lat bat, 10th Regt. and 30 pative police under a European Sergeant. ascertain the truth of rumours that some acmed was taking care of him. Ho believed the pri- We learn, with great regret, that Sister Saint | people were collecting there and were about to reach Sungie Ujong from the Moar River and This morning be found a dagger in the roof. A party of nine convicts effected their escape | thus to connect his surveys of the Moar River

Everylaing was found apparently quiet at Terrachee on the arrival of the Force, and the next morning they set off on their return to Rassa, Mr. Daly started at the same time

Before, however, he had gone more than half selves on the opposite side and pointed their stances, Mr. Daly and his party regained has had to deal. To both of these gentlemen the firm ground, and news of this occurrence was immediately sent to Captain Murray and messenger overtook them before they had gone

off his force and returned to Rassa. Paro about five miles from Rassa.

that was believed to be impending.

was despatched in the Eambow. They arrived one of his daughters, aged 5 years, behind a wearing mourning, which is always costly, and, instant for sending 100 Infantry and artillery to Malacea from Perak, and 350 placed ber in safe keeping. He was preparing comprehend, or do not value the principles on Ghoorking left Penang for Malacon on the has been a great falling off in the number of | 6th, yestarday, while 300 Chinese coolies will visitors, the attendance lately averaging but be sent from Singapore to-day .- Stairs Times,

THE MISSING STEAMER "COROMANDEL."

THE BONIN ISLANDS.

writers under the ban of the press regulations. Company, are much further advanced lowards dance. There are also a few arange trees, which link for his family, but, as so on as be received At Nagoya in the province of Owari, a tragic | completion than many people areaware. Hiego | were planted there by the former expedition, intelligence from Chikosso, he mounted a horse, twelve years ago, and a few vegetables. The and repaired thither. On the Sist locober also, natives live principally on beef. fowl, and other he bastaned to that place and found the heavily birds. Their dwelling bonses are very rude and tried population oncomped on a neighbouring are made of seconnot palms, with whose leaves beight. Whilet the chief of the local Government their roofs are thatched. There is no black. was accortaining the effects of the flood, a second smith nor carpenter among the inhabitants, one took place, which soon appeared to be of who amount altogether to sizy is number. Of less importance. The headings and people were. cated article on the recent attempt to promote the women two are Japanese, and others are however, so affected by late events that they English, French, Spanish, and Africans. All urged the European authorities to seek outety of them are profoundly ignorant with the ex- on the heights. The speedy coming of the Ascention of one only who can read and write very sestant Resident after the earthquake, seems to little. They employ the English language. have made him popular amongst the common they only plough a little ground to grow ashes was noticed on the 6th and 7th instant.

enough grain to support their lives. They use The Obermai volcano appears to threaten empowered to engage Chinese labourers, to pay a very strange and inconvent boats for lishing. or at least is suspected of threatening, to form for their pussage to Acheen, and to secure On all occasions when whating vessels arrive of a new crater on its cast side, opposite Kaningan. Governor-General with a letter of recommen- docks and fowl; but all these are quite different | Cheribon have taken along with them to Oberi-The Governor declared at an audience given to climate, all the trees are evergreen and base Enropean officials who, at present, have no oedar. There are many vast level plains along |-Straits Times. dration under contract, and strengthened in the sea-coust, but the islands are sometimes visited by strong gales which blow down all the followed by the British authorities by a habitations and destroy all vegetation. In the conversation with the Government Secretary, interior of the islands there are also extensive which took place in the presence of the plains and some streams. This is a short no count of all we have seen up to to-day; since

MALACCA A private letter from Malacca, dated the 7th netant; states that a meeting of the Justices of the Peace was to be held that afternoon, to consider the unprotected state of the town and devise measures for its better protection against proads by marauding parties of Malays from the neighbouring States. No doubt the arrival of the Goorkhas on the following day has re-British authoritics, natil the latter at length stored confidence among the people of Malacea, did not wish to give their consent to the em- | who have apparently been seriously alarmed.

TRIAL OF BRITISH SAILORS FOR MURDER AT SOURABATA. "At Sourabaya, several British sailors have l been tried for murdering a commade there a

few months ago. The alleged murder was noticed at the time in the Straits Times - Sie sequel to it is thus decribed by the Sourabaya Handelsblad :-"Our readers may remember that couple of

months ago we made mention of a murder ommitted, near Pegirian, upon a British sailor who was supposed to have been murdered y three of his comrades. On the 13th inst Det. the aforemid suilors Charles Scott and IncPhic, mates, and David Smit, carpenter, were tried at the Court of Justice bere. Twenty-nine witnesses had been summoned testify in this case. The public prosecution

lemanded for all three, from 5 to 20 years

pprisonment. As counsel for their defence here were assigned them Messra, de Bons, chussler, and Blume, who very pithily showed the improbability of the crime laid to their promises and to break through all Government charge, and concluded by advising the acquittal prohibitione." of the accused. The verdick will be made nown within 8 days. "We bear that the three British anilors who were charged with the marder of their comrade nve figully been acquitted. It is a remarkable fact that four Europeans, able-bodied sallors, walking out together, suffered one of their com- lately surveying this region. The ruine of an rades to be benten to death, should go their away afterwards almost pointured, and that too while

n the campong where all this happened not single wounded native should have been found The deceased must bence have certainly suff rad imself to be led like a lamb to the shambles. very good state of preservation and bearing inscriptions, are amongst the ruing. The inacriptions bave been copied by the Russian THE LATE EARTHQUAKE IN JAVA. officers, and will be submitted to competent The cartbounke in Oberibou (Java) recently noticed in the Straits Zimes, is described as follows by a correspondent of the Indier of the 25th ultimo, with startling minuteness :-"On the 25th October last, at 6.50 a.m. tha. first shock was felt, and yesterday. 9th Novem. he proceeded no farther south thun the town of ber, the earth was not yet quiet at 2.55 p.m. Madris itself. But the Prince of Wales will and has fulfilled the important functions of his he did not go back. Under these circum- During 16 days, shocks were continually pass through those carious and interesting cities noticed; in the drat few days, sometimes 6 of the Carnatic, Trichinopoly, Madura, and shocks were felt in half an bour and from 10 Tanjore. The nearest paralled to the rook of to 15 per day, all from S.E. to N.W. In other Trinchinopoly to be found in Great Britain is Lieutemant Hinzunn, who by this time had matters people become accustomed to every- the rock at Dumbarton. Both rocks are natural started on their way back to Ressa. The thing but to the feeling of inscourity that such fortresses, and have an eventful history. To

a movement to ent off his line of retreat, drew of the well. The pillars of the pendoppo of the eight centuries ago, the Valmiki of Southern regent's bouse are gone; the circular well and India, the post Komban, wrote :-Since then, the information which has been empole have fallen in. Since the earthquake of received from Sungie Ujong to the 3rd, and July, 1872, the regent and family have been Malacca to the 5th instant, though doubtless living in a bamboo building behind his house, containing a great deal of the usual exeggers which was very fortunate. The whole of the tion, gives resson to believe that the affair st locality in question was enveloped in a cloud of Terrackee will prove to be only the first step at dust. The or oular walls of the prison fell over a concerted movement on the part of the and a portion of the walls of its rooms also fell Malays of the Mine States, and this view is con- in. The prisoners endeavoured to get under the firmed by a letter couched in very insolent sleeping-benches, to find cover against the terms addressed to Captain Murray by Rajab falling rubbish. With grout trouble and not Antah, who claims to buve been elected the without danger Mr. de Koning, the commander Yam Tuan Basar. In fact the invasion of the of the projurite, succeeded in opening the tightly Sungle Ujung territories may be said to have closed doors, and in delivering those shut up." begun, and on the night of the 2nd December | From the Assistant Resident I have ascerthe Police were driven on from a Station a tained the following. On the Monday morning which will long be remembered by many a one Captain Murray and Licutement Binxman for | When he noticed the earthquake, he jumped up immediate reinforcements, the Lieutenent Go- I from bis chair, but the undulation of the vernor proceeded to Rassa via Lookoot, with a | ground was so strong that he could not keep on detachment of 23 mon of the lat battalion 10th bis legs. The walls cracked and fell around time Mr. Plunket had arrived with the reinforce- succeeded in getting ontaide, and saw there two and every preparation made to resist the attack house was partially in rules, and bidden from his eyes by the dust. The thoughts of his wife The news of the Terraphee affair reached and little children must have been agonising. Friends. Nothing can be more simple, and with applying a little golden continent to the Singapore on the 2nd instant. Thursday. On In the twinkling of an eye he was inside the nothing can be better. They would be wise also Friday evening a force of 85 Arab Anxiliaries desoluted house, and by feeling his way be found to follow, them in rejecting the fashion of the spot to him. When the endeavoured to Orders were given of Pinang on the 2nd take the little child in his arms, he jumped up

and flew outside like one possessed, where he o return into the house, but the bead which. man informed him that of his own accord be had already searched the house, and that there. was no one else inside. Mrs. b. and her two younger children were sitting on the road a little farther up. At the time of the carthonike The large steamer Coromandel, of North it was fortunate that she did not allow herself it were wholly and solely a chipowners ques-Those pertinacious anyeyers bave been mea. Shields with about 40 people on board, crew time to close this box, for, had she athyed a few tion-as though only their pockets were likely suring the Concession again, making the third and passengers, and a valuable cargo, as already seconds longer, she would have been buried to be affected by ony prosperity or depression or fourth time this year! This time their reported in The Times, left Bombay some time along with it under the falling wall. Though in the trade. But, as a mutter of fact, there is attention appeared to be fixed upon accertaining in June, bound for Grout Britain, and has not bewildered abe laid hold of one of the younger not a mon, woman, or child, in the country, the number of railings in each compound lence. Fainer been hourd of. She must have foundered | children and succeeded in getting outside the whose daily life is not influenced by the condi-However, it pleases them and does us no great in the Red See, for, according to a report from boxes, butshe cannot tell how. During a couple | tion and magnitude of our Mercantile Navy. Bombay, which has just reached this country. of minutes a oracking noise was beard as if the It must be remembered that, of all mations. It is reported that the Horsish's paper mill is the Quantum, and Her Majesty's ships Vulture world was destroyed. Stones were beard fall. England is in one respect, the least selfwith liabilities estimated at 1,800,000f. To be worked again shortly, and if it can post and Riseman bave made a careful examination ing, wood breaking, lamps falling down, and supporting. Her very existence as a nation, Telegrams received by the Cantary Board at sibly to made to pay—and one way or other it of the Arabian Coast, the Koon's Moorea Island, furniture, glusses, plates, &c., bracking and depends on her connection with the outer world,

> of the Choya Shimbun concerning the traffic and Susz, but they could discover no traces of greater. Almost all the houses there fell, in or maintaining that traffic must necessarily along the Tokaids since the Mitaubishi M. S. S. she missing ship, or of ship wrecked people! I miner came flat to the grounds Two persons have upon her welfare. Nantical Maphine

were killed there, and two wounded. Of stone The following is a translation of the text of or sarthen dykes or walls on the roadthree months, and I catimate the medical established between Tokio and all the keiche of more fully that as the fare from Yokohama to a letter addressed by one of the suite o Kobs is now ex dollars, travellars can save as Commission lately despatched to the Bonin places, and those of a greater beight were The next annual exposition will be opened in | much as four rios by making a ten days journey Islands; to Kisbida Ginko printer of the Nicht | wholly levelled with the ground, Here und the old Imperial Palace, at Kioto, for one bon- overland, which is of more consequence to large Wichi Shimbur. It arrived by the British mun. there water and sand welled out of the ground, numbers of Japanese than the comparative loss of war Curlen which left the port of Roid on while stanned or dead fish floated on the river. In this district the number of houses and paddy lers, but there can be no doubt the general | we embarked in the Melli-maru at Yokohama, | besides above in danger of falling. Altogether The shizoku of the Shirakawa-Ren in the working of the system, and we do not for a which port we left early on the following morn- the loss of seven human lives has to be deplored. for leave to follow the troops in the event of a monopoly is destined to anything but a very ing of the 23rd ultimo we arrived esfely off the an darthelip from Cherman volcamo; the abort life. A large number a Japanese Bonine, and next morning we anothered in the corpse unde its appearance 5 days after-The whole population of Japan in 1872 brokers and others with from port of Roid in Chichijima, which is the largest wards, but the bead had been parted from organised reballion against the existing mono- meter ranging seventy five or coventy six de- have been buried under ruine. The calamity at [Ohikosso was beightened by a flood which took sident in this settlement or that of Tekidil, is that their ideas have as yet assumed a definite There are some high wountains and trees, place on the Slat Cotober. The Assistant be a cartridge. It is not usual to bore out ob. to start a Japanese newspaper, in which public stape, but there is no doubt that arrangements which are called Shi-itsumana, by the natives. Resident of Kumingan had, on October 25th matters may be discussed without bringing the with a large and powerful existing steamship Besides this tree, lemon-trees grow in abun- not a lowed himself the time to look for a dwel-The patiges of the islands are indelent and people. In the whole district a shower of them that they would find work at Acheen on he coust all the islanders strive to be first to Cloude of dust are continually ising a loft in that get on board to beg for food or clothing which direction, and on the 9th, columns of amoke were they preserve as long as they can. As to their plainly visible. At Kuning m' the inbubitants houses and clothing both are of the rulest of the former brick buildings bave towall to put subsistence in some other way, or even to kind. They feel shame for nothing, and they up with bamboo houses. The devastation was return without being bound to pay back any are ignorant of the value of money. They are great, and whoever comes from Operibon to portion of what had been spont on them. Bo- content merely to exist; and they have no take a look becomes astonished and gazes around sides a letter of introduction to the Consul business, excepting to eat, play, and eleep, with amazement. The Resident has been re-General and representative of the Notherlanda They rear a few domestic animals viz., peatedly wherever earthquake and flood have in China, Mr. Groeneveldt was provided by the dogs, cats, pigs, and oxon, as well as raged, and be as well as other inhabitants of dition to the British Governor of Hongkong. from those of the mainland. Owing to the bet ban a portion of the wives and children of Mr. Geosnaveldt on the 19th August last, that I dense foliage. The august cane, awest-potato, dwellings. The house cent indemnity which is he was not empowered to support him, but that | corghum, equash, and water-melos grow natu- temporarily received by the officials, is but he would not work against him so long as he rally in the plaine without cultivation. The scant componention for the losses suffered. The kept within the limits of the law, convinced mature of the land is excellent. But it produces foregoing is a short and incomplete sketch of that he would be able to do so, because the no valuable tree, such as the bamboo pine and the state of matters since the 25th October last."

EXPEDITION-AGAINST THE DYAKS IN

SARAWAK.

The Sarawak Gazette of the 20th ult, given the ollowing reports concerning the late expedition against head-bunting Dyaks :--"Any one unacquainted with Dyak warfare might have wondered, on reading the account of the expedition published in our last issue, why we called it successful, when in point of numbers clain it was not co. Our loss was occasioned by the impatience of some of the force rushing into an ambush. It is a difficult thing to accustom Dyake to subordination, or to act in concert, and when they are once excited it is almost impossible to get them to conform themselves to the counsels and directions of their leaders. But as a proof that the expedition was a success, we refer our readers to the letter of the Acting Resident of Batung Lupar and Baribas which will be found in our columns; and we maintain that the only way to secure the allegiance of disaffected tribes is by attacking them in their own fastnesses, destroying their houses, property and farms, and, by con stant worry, forcing them into submission to the authority of Government. We hope to see

this rigorous policy extended to the Katibas, and maintained along the border. "The last expedition was carried out with great spirit, and was organised in such a short time that the most casual observer must see the first traces of civilization shown by their immediately obeying the commands of the Government without paying the usual regard to fuvourable signs and omens.

"The enemy are now offering to come in and behave thomselves; we, however, do not place implicit trust in their promises of good behaviour for the future; such peace offeringe are often made merely to gain time to plant paddy and gather their barvests, when their restlessness soon causes them to disregard

RUSSIAN DISCOVERY IN ASIA. A remarkable discovery has been made in the Steppes (says a St. Petersburg correspondent of the Independance Belge) by the trans-Caspian section of the Russian army, which has been ancient city hitherto quite naknowe, with traces of a vast system of irrigation formerly supplied, according to the traditions of the Turcomans with the waters of the Atrek, have been found. Several examples of Arabian architecture, in a

A FAMOUS NATURAL FORTRESS When the Dake of Edinburgh visited India shooks, accompanied by underground rumbling the Hindon, however, the rock of Triebinopoly more than a mile and a bait, and they at once occasion, no one becomes accountoned, so that is something more than Dumbarton is to a returned and went to the place where Mr. Day it plways keeps the perves in a state of tension. Scotob man. It is one of the favourite resorts had been stopped. On seeing the troops the In the quiet and charming town of Kunin- of the vengeful Sive, and the Tamilian poet, Malays raised a shout and fired a few shots, and gan, the first shook caused a veriatable Tayumanavar, -who like the most distinguished an attempt was than made by the troops to devastation. The dwelling bouse of the confrères, was considered to be the human drive them from their position. But it was Assistant Resident and his office lay in ruins avatar or incarnation of a deity, made it his found so strong, being protected by deep paddy in the twinkling of an eyer. Other Government | home. From the small cut-stone temple-choultry fields in the front and one flank, and by impene- buildings have suffered to much that they had on the summit of the rook, a unto less view is trable jungle on the other, that after a fire had to be pulled down. The treasury office is on to be obtained of the broad plains that aproud been kept up for about half an hour, Lieutenant | the point of falling. In the pillars and walla on either side of the rivers Canyery and Coleroon, Hinxman, finding the amounttion running cracks & foot in dimensions have arisen, and which at the time of the Prince's visit will be short and hearing that the Mulays were making the windows bave fallen out along with pieces in fair flood. This is the country about which,

> Of streams the stately Convery, Of kings is Cholan best And-Chôla-land the fairest land In all the earth's broad breast I

From this spot the Prince will look down on the battlefields of Clive, and the historicaisland of Srirangam, which has the reputation of being the most fertile portion of the most fertile part of India. The chief religious as well as secular authority on the rook is the Tambiran, or High Pricet. This man's own natural hair is more than seven feet in length, and he will now and then, as a favour to visitors, unwind it, and atand upon it, and allow its genninoness to be tested. The Tambirao is on astute metaphysician, and travelambout the country in a costly On intelligence of the Terrachee affair reach- in this residency, the Besident repaired early to palarquin, almost entirely composed of carved ing Malacca, accompanied by requests from his office, which lies opposite his dwelling house.

> MR. BRIGHT ON FUNERAL REFORM The following letter has been addressed by Mr. Bright to a Birmingham constituent:-Rochdale, 26th October, 1875. Dear Sir,-It your friends or any sensible people wish to rethem observe and cony the practice of the sect to which I belong, that of the Boolety of as worn by many women, bideous. I am sorry to say, however, that the wearing of mourning has of inte been rather increasing with 'Friends,' among whom are many who apparently do not which the practice of their forefathers was

GREAT BRITAIN AND HER MER-CANTILE MARINE. In dealing with mercuant shipping the whole

she was standing in front of an open box, and subject is not unfrequently spoken of as though indeed, at every place where a vessel of that . "At Uh kasso, the has post between Oberi- difficult to see how great is the importunce The Japan Daily Advertise notes alstatement size was likely to be stranded between Bombay | bon and Kuningan, the devastation was still which every influence upon the means of

tion to come in force at the next vacancy in the sec. ('ousiderable, perhaps insuperable, practical' difficulties would have to be dealt with in any Insurances, such RETURN being payable on the scheme for the purpose. The case is very untolerably large proportion of the electors could be induced to vote, it would not do to hand over the temporalities of the first bishoprio in Christendom to a shepherd without a flock. But, considering the political attitude of the Roman citizens, we cannot but think that many of them would rote; and if so, probably some of the clergy would vote also. The cardinals would, of course, elect somebody else; but with a fair amount of popular sympathy and support the Government need take no more notice of take in case the Archbishop of York, with the Scotch and Irish Primates, the Colonial Metropolitime, and the presiding bishops of the United States, should take it into their heads to elect the next Archbishop of Canterbury. This nearmes that the Italians feel themselves atrong enough to free the machinations which the Ultramontanes would infallibly set up throughout the world; their centre being the demi-god of their choice, at Avignon or elsewhere. Some such contest as this must come some day. Just as we English could not get on while our Church was subject to the interference of a "foreign" bishop, so it is with the Italiana YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION True, the Roman bishops have generally been Italians by birth, but they are cosmopolitan by circumstince, and so as distinctly outside the national life and organisation as they were of the English. Such a return of the Romans to primitive liberty and eimplicity would be followed by a vast amount of cursing that one peculiarity of St. Peter (in mendacits) which the Popes have not only succeeded to, but improved upon. But if Para IX. departs this life before France is ready for the tussel which | 35 /.) on Local Risks only. Mr. Ghidstone fears, the crisis might be got over without anything worse than words; and the connexion being thus severed between the solid ground of Rome and the growned ghost of its old empire, probably Ultramontanism might be left to suffounte itself with new dogmas, while a reasonable Christianity apread its beneficent influence over the order of things in Italy and elaswbers.—Church Bolls.

the German Emperor had partaken of break-

COMMERCIAL INTRIBURCE. TUESDAY, 21st December.

The market for Bengal drug has kept very quiet to-day also, only a few chests of both kinds have been placed; New Patna at \$610, and New Benares at \$585. In Malwa likewise nothing has been done calling for notice.

EXPORT CARGOES. Per P.M.S.S. City of Tokio, for Yokohama and San Francisco : -For Y kohama 1,930 baga Sugar, 932 pkga. iron, 502 pkgs. Old Wire Rope, 254 pkgs. Merchandise, and 3 boxes Trensure. \$9.411.76. For Hiogo 6 pkgs. Merchandise, and 8 boxes. Treasure, \$9,411.76, For Hakodate 52 pkgs. Merchandise. For San Francisco 1,534 empty Quicksilver flaske, 1,824 bags Sugar, 400 bags Beans, 5 pkgs. Silks, 37 pkgs, Tes, 17,419 bags Rice, 185 bags Coffee, 6 boxes Patha Opium, 33 boxes Propured Opium, 247 bags Tapioca, 77 slabs Tin, 30 pkgs. Nutmegs, 20 pkgs. Gunny. Bags, 150 pkgs. Dry Ginger, 4,250 pkgs. Merchandiso. For Acajatla 4 cases Silks. For Callao 20 boxes Malwa Opium, 1 pkg. Sitk, and 3 page. Merchandise. For St. Louis 8 cases Merchandise. For Chicago I case Ourice. For: Baltimore I case Merchandisc. For New York 48 bales Silk, and 166 cases Fans.

EXCHANGE." On London.-Bank Bills, on demand ...... 3/112 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 3/11; to 4/0 Bank Bills, at 6 months sight 4/04 "Credite at 6 months sight ..... 4/04 Documentary Bills, at 6 months' 

ON BOMBAY. - Bank, on demand 222 ON CALCUTTA. -Bank, on demand 222 ON SHANGHAL -Bank, sight ...... R. .... 721 Private, 30 days' aight .......... 723

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares .per cent. discount. Union Insurance Society of Canton, new shares -8750 per share. China Traders' Insurance: Company's Snares-

\$1.500 per share. Unina and Japan Marine Insurance-Tis. 11 Obinese Insurance Company. - \$220 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$540 per abare.

Uhina Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$149 Viotoria Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$169 per share.

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Companya Shares-34 per cent. discount. Hongkong, Uanton and Macao Steamboat Co.'a Bhares 5 per cent, discount, ... Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tla 73 per share. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$75 per

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-50 per Chinese Imperial Loan-£102 10s.

SALES ON DECEMBER 21st, AS REPORTED BY Brown Sugar, 540 bags, at \$2.50, by Yee chong to travelling trader. White Sugar, 440 bags, at \$5.10, by Yee-foong

to travelling trader Dried Laly Fincers, 21 bags, at 28.10, by Yee-forms to transling trader. Red Dates, 100 bags, at Tla. 1.980, by Woshun-hing to travelling trader.

to travelling trader. we to travelling trader. Mushrooms, 3 cases, at \$60.50, by Tung- holders or not, in proportion to the net amount quarto pages. chong-you to travelling trader. Cardamone (inferior), 10 bags, at \$7.20, by third being carried to Reservo Fund. Kwong-wing-shing to travelling trader. Bungut, 10 bags, at \$32.50, by Hing-tai to

Insurances. MANOHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned Agents are in receipt of instructions from the Board of Directors authorizing them to issue Pollcies to the extent of 210,000 on any one First-class Risk, or to the extent of £15,000 on Adjoining Ricks nt A Discount of 20 %, allowed. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 48 Hongkong, 8th January, 1875. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILD

INSURANCE COMPANY INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER AND SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT. Established 1809. CAPITAL -£2,000,000

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongsong fo the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual rates, subject to a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%/.) GILMAN & Co.,

tf 1063 Hongkong, 7th July, 1874. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT INSURANCES at Current MELORERS & Co., Agonia, Royal Insurance Company. 6 1780 Honekone, 28th October, 1874.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any

FIRST-CLASS RISK; at Corrent Rates. A RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20 % will be made on the premium charged on all

teame of the Policy. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Imperial Fire Insurance Company. 833, Hongkong, 1st March, 1874. SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned is prepared to Grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$45,000 on First-class Risks. A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon the Current Local Rates of Premia will be altheir action than the English Government would lowed apon Insurances effected with this Office. T. G. LINSTEAD. Agent, Sun Fire Office. 1335 Hongkong, 26th August, 1874.

> NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG. THE Undereigned having been appointed pared to GRANT INSURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-class risks at current rates; sor,"" Club House," and others, .... MELCHERS & Co.

tf 674 Hongkong, 1st May, 1874. OF SHANGHAI.

N and after this date the above Association will allow a Brokerage of THIRT's THREE and ONE THIRD PER CEN

NOTICE.

RUSSELL & Co. Agents, tf 1800 Hongkong, 4th June, 1874. THE SECOND COLUNIAL SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

BATAVIA.

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HE Steamship Captain Wilcox, R.N.R., will leave for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 22rd instant, at 3 P.M. JARDINB, MATHESON & Co..

Captain Clauchy, will be despatched for the employed for the purpose. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG. . 1848 Hongkong, 17th December, 1875.

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G. B. EMORY. Acting Agent. Vouglong, December 2nd, 1875. U. S. MAIL DINE.

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1909 Hongkong, 18th November, 1874.

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For Singapore, Penang, and Caloutte.—Por Glenfinlas, to-morrow, the 23rd instant, at 11.90 For Singapore, Somerset, Cooktown, Cleveland Bay, Howen, Rockhampton, Keppel Bay, Brisbane, Sydney, Tasmania, and Melbourne.-Per Normanby, on Friday, the Slat instant, at

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. The English Contract Packet AVOCA will be desputched with the Mails for Europe, &c on THURSDAY, the 23rd December. The following will be the hours of closing the

Wednesday, 22nd instant, .5 P.M. Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M. Post Office oloses except the NIGHT Box, which remains open all night. Thursday, 23rd instant.

7 A.M., Post Utice opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence. 10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late Letters. Registry of Letters censes. 10,15 A.M., Letters may be posted on payment

of a LATE FEE of 18 cents extra Postage until 11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES 11.80 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addresses ed to the United Kingdom vid Brindisi or to Singapore, man be posted on board the Packet on payment of a

11.50 A.M., Posting on Board ceases. ALFRED LISTER. Postmoster General. General Post-Office,

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ALFRED LISTER, Postmaster-General: General Post Office. Hongkong, 17th December, 1875.

A rrangements leave been made for the Registration of Correspondence exchanged between the United States of America and this Colony by Pacific Mail Packets of the Couldental and Oriental Steam Ship Company. The Registration Fee will be 8 cents for each letter, over and above the Postage. This fee, as well as the Postage, must be prepaid. No letters can be Registered after 2 P.M. On the day of departure of the Mail.

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exist, or many a hulking fellow would have been had up for his merciless use of the lash when urging his wretched cattle up a severe hill or over ruts recently laid down with large unbroken stones smooth "macadamised roads being not then in prospective existence. So beavy was the draught that an appeal upon a wet day or when the mud was ankle- horse driving club.

Sweet airs, sweet harmonies of hues

The magic of the disk and dews

My senses steal; my reason woos,

And sings a fullaby to care,

But valuly do the warm airs sing,

Afar I sea it loom and rise.

I sit benenth, a leaden sky,

That pitiless and ley shape.

It blots the blue, it dims the skies.

Amid the Summer land it cries:

·Surround, careas me, everywhere .

· All vain the roses rapturous breath,

I see the beauty changed to death.

"I come, and there is no escape ?"

Oh I bitter drop in bloom and sweet !

Oh! canker on the smiling day!

Have we but climbed the hill to meet

Thy fronting face, thy eyes of elect?

To hate, yet dare not tern away ?

Amid the piled and drifted mow.

The subbing wind is fleres and strong:

"Not long, O Lord! O Lord, fot long!

Surely thy Spring-line shall prevail !"

Oh! life in death, sweet plucked from pain?

Its cry is like a human wail.

But in my heart it sings this song ;

Out of the darkness and the cold,-

And lovingly I clasp and hold

Thy promises and see unrolled

Out of the wintry depths I lean,

A vision of the Sammer green.

Oh, distant vision, fair to see ! Up the long hill we press and strain

We can bear all things and attain,

taining morceau:-

If once our faces turn to Thee!

Lemon; "but Jerrold was in very good form,

physically, when he wrote the best of them.

in this very street."

be generally adopted.

My feet are on the graves where he

The rose which made hasts to die

So long, so very long age.

A chill blast, as from wintry wing.

Smiles on my beart, and, shuddering,

Such was the system of travelling in the every affair of life moved on at a quiet, jog. trot pace. But when competition of the most eager kind became the order of the day, it cannot be said that mails or coaches stood still. The Edinburgh mail ran 100 miles in forty hours, stoppages included. The Exeter day coach, the Herald went over its ground, performance, considering the natural un-

deep, was not a very pleasant thing.

was considered a reckless risking of human and to double thong a refractory wheeler life. It may not be here out of place to ob serve that the first requisite in a coach remain perfectly placed upon the box, even horse is action, and the second sound amidst danger never losing his head or his legs and feet, with blood and bone. temper, always remembering that upon his The third desideratum is good wind, as the power of respiration is called. without which the first and second qualifica- are who can drive cleverly broken thoroughtions avail but little for any length of time. bred horses admirably well, but who would be A clear-winded coach horse will always keep at a loss if called upon to drive a stage-coach In London Society, "The Thue Story of his condition, and consequently his health, or a "scratch" team to Epsom or Ascot. Punch" is continued, and we select an enter- because he does not feel distress on a reason. There are, of course, many honourable excepable length of ground. The hunter or racer tions, and I select a few, and there may bo A score of stories of Jerrold occur to me, is good or bad chiefly in proportion to his others, who could worthily fill the places of though it is too late to add any new ones to powers of respiration, and such equally ap- the late "Oxford Will," Jack Adams, the record, for his "wit and humour" have plies to the coach horse. The feed most "Pierre." "Falkner." "Probyn." and been carefully collected and published. There proper, then, for a coach horse in fast work Parson Dennis. At the head of the list I are a few good things, however, which will is that which affords ample support, without would place two noble Plantagenets—the

bear repetition. "Nature has written howest having a permicious influence on his wind; Duke of Beaufort and his son, the Marquis man' upon his face," said a person trying to or to use a more elegant, though not more of Worcester, who are nulli secundus; next make interest for his friend with Jerrold, forcible, expression, that which does not the Earls of Section, and Craven, Lords Lon-"Then Nature must have had a very bad impair his respiratory organs by pressing on desborough, Avelaud, Carington, Cole, and pen," was the prompt reply. Everybody them. To return to the fast coaches, Tredegar, Colonels Tyrwhitt, Owen Wilknows how he rovenged hisself upon a so splendidly were they horsed, and so liams, the Hon. C. White, and Armytage. pompous fop, who had made frieself offen admirably well did they keep their time, Mesers, Cooper, Trotter, F. Villiers, and H. sively conspicuous at a club dinner where that they fully merited the following culo- Wombwell. It may appear invidious to sheep's head was a favourite dish. Pushing gium. At a dinner given at Shrewsbury some select the above when there are probably his plate saide, the stranger exclaimed, five and thirty years ago by conchmen and many more equally good; but I have wit-"Well, I say, sheep's head for ever!" guards to the Hon. Mr. Kenyon, that "What egotism!" remarked Jerrold. This, gentleman, in proposing the health of Mr. not alone from what I have myself scen but no doubt, led up to a kindred flash of wit on R. Taylor, coach proprietor, made some from what I have beard from others. -Illusanother occasion, at the expense of a literary interesting statements on the subject of stagetrated Sporting and Dramatic News.

friend of Jerrold's, who had just ordered coach travelling. Among other remarks, he "Some sheep's-tail soup, waiter." "Ah." said :- "As a coach proprietor, Mr. Taylor said Jerrold, looking up, and smiling with was one of the most spirited in England. He his great eyes, "extremes meet sometimes." had, at one time, two of the very best conches frown the greatest actress of the Comedia There was an old gentleman who drove a that ever ran the Hirondelle and Wonder. Française trembled. His criticisms were at very slow pony in a ramsbackle gig, and he No coach established for itself a higher re- times capricious and fantastic, his judgment was anxious, one day to pay Jerrold a putation than the former. On May I (the seldom evolved from principles or a train of little special attention. The humorist precise year he could not recollect) in accom- reasonin. But one most admirable thing is was on his way to the station from plished its journey of 120 miles in eight said of him: he never struck the vanquished his house. "Ah, Mr. Jerrold," enid the old hours and twenty minutes a speed few and the humble, and his severest strictures gontleman, "shall I give you a lift?" "No. | coaches could eyer boast of, He (Mr. Kenyon) | usually followed the night on which the thank you," said Jerrold, "I am in a hurry." was in Shrewsbury that day, and saw a team artist achieved a great triumph. He is said In the country, on a visit, Jerrold was told, of four greys, belonging to Mr. Taylor, enter to have something of a Bashaw, and to have among other gossip, of a young man in the the town, which had done their nine miles sharply resented the least slight or lack of neighbourhood, named Ure, who had cruelly in thirty-five minutes. He recollected that homage. He was thoroughly independent; jilted his sweetheart. "Ure seems to be a there were two ladies inside the coach, who to his pen alone be looked for advancement. base 'un," said Jerrold. At a ball, seeing a were informed that, as that day was appointed and sought neither place nor favour from very tall gent'eman waltzing with a very for a trial of strongth, they might, if they friends in power who would willingly have short lady, Jerrold said, "There's a mile were frightened at the speed, choose any accorded it. He was an indefatigable contridancing with a milestone." The author of other conveyance they pleased, and should butor, who wrote upon all and every subject: an epic poem entitled "A Descent into Hell" be forwarded on their journey immediately, he composed vaudevilles, comedies, romances. used to worry Jerrold very much. At last but their answer showed good blood; histories, travels, essays, translations; but he the wit grew irritated with the poet, who, they said they were not aware that was essentially, and above all things, a coming bounding upon him with the quest they had come at the great speed they feuilletonists; ho was the creater of the feuilletion, "Ah, Jerrold! have you seen my Des. had, and that they preferred going fast. ton, and its greater master. No man not cent into Hell?" was answered with quick With regard to the Wonder, he himself left even of his own nation, ever wrote so amuasperity, "No; I should like to " That the Lion Yard Shrewsbury, one morning at singly, so delightfully, and so brilliantly as we were passing an old tavern in Bouverie says that some of them were written on a

English custom of shaking hands. "Le from London to Shrewsbury the distance from his pen the most delicious pages. And familiar gesture among the French, but it is The average price for these coaches was about and thither, from that side to this; into the Lunalilo. now discovered that this mode of salutation 223. Fancy teams, and those working out most irrelevant places, gossiping of every. Menam is vulgar. We even find it stated by a of London, were rated considerably higher; thing it met, and saw, and thought in its Meteor writer, who has made this subject one of his but, taking a hundred miles of ground, well labrinthine meanderings until it forgot all special studies, that it is "destructive of all horsed, the above was about the mark. In about the place it started for—the thing it

men." Still less is this "offensive manual quite double. The average period of act" to be thought of between men and each horse's service did not exceed four women, but it is above all between parents years. The cost of a fast coach was from the body—is thought reprehensible. This born men of education, they formished a the exclusion of the many would begin

favour at elections. It may be honed that they unmercifully lashed their wheelers. throw off the very numerous ideas, words, box "handled the ribbons." Except with a evil, unless we are prepared to admit that a was introduced into France by the English | welcome to do so." Of course the reply was | age -lor what can be made out of it-and

of parents and superiors, or of inclining one: through the reckless driving of some inex- robust bealth of English hedges, the velvet selt respectfully before them and saying perienced fellow." "I'll report you," and softness and freshness of English turf; nor Jesus Christus." The Pope has given but a slumbers. "I paid my fare to be driven parts of California, such tample and brilliant guarded reply to the Abbe Defourny's peti- by the proper coachman, and not by open air flower gardens. The dryness of our through the proper authority," that there is hind four horses in his life." "And I'll ture suffice to account for the difference. no reason why it should not be deeply desired," have you dismissed, coachman, for risking When I saw the standing crops of lay and or more literally, "that nothing stands in our lives," added another. Then came a jerk, cereals in Warwickshire in June last, I

Unfortunately, in those days the Society for applied, sent the sluggish steed along at the the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals did not rate of ten miles an hour, the scene above Dyor Spotted Shirtings...... described again took place, for the timid female passengers, like the widows of Ashur, " were corally loud in their wail." In those days young Etoniaus, Harroviaus, collegiaus, and officers were all taught to drive by the professional coachmen on the road, and any one that could manage a refractory team was being constantly made to the passengers over a stage or two of ten miles was deemed to alight and walk up any declivity, which, a proficient and fit to belong to the four-

A great many aspirants for coaching good old times, as they were called, when box, and guiding the animals safely slong the road, without coming in contact with a post, a curb stone, or another carriage, is all Jeans, 30 yards. that is required; but this is far from being the case. To become a downright good coachman, a man sliculd be able to put the team togother, so as to alter a trace or bit Volvets, Black, 22 in..... per yard 0.21.s 0.23 during the journey; he must then take care 173 miles, in twenty hours, an admirable that every horse does his work, and must keep the jades up to the collar. He must White Shirtings, 54 a 60 reed ... . per piece 1.95 a. 2.10 evenness of the country; and the Devonport then be careful to ease his horses up a mail performed the journey, 227 miles, in hill, spirting down one, and taking twenty-two hours. The increase of speed advantage of any level piece of road, make was alarming to those who had been accus- in for the slower page of a heavier one. He tonied to the old-fushioned slow conches, and must then learn how to handle his whip, the rate at which the new vehicles travelled so as to flip off a horse-fly from his leaders, chen gibbing or refusing to work; he must presence of mind depends the fate of his passengers. Many noblemenand gentlementhere

nessed the prowess of the above, and speak

JULES JANIN, THE JOURNALIST.

· He was the omnipotent critic before whose nuthor is a white-braded old gentleman now, six o'clock, and was at Islington the same upon trifles. "He has created a style," says Charger and may be seed at almost any theatrical evening at seven o'clock, being only thirteen one of his contemporaries," which in his best | Charter Oak "first night," just as, a few years ago, you hours on the road. On that occasion he was days and when the sun shines, is lively, Chateaubriand might have seen Horace Maybew. "The driven by four of the best coachmen be over graceful, captivating, made up of nothings, Cruender saw. Another instance of the reputation the like those gauze stuffs that the ancients Eistern Monarch Wonder had acquired was given him by his called l'air tisse; this ctyle, ready, piquant, Fabine street, "were partly written in that house." friend Sir Henry Peyton, who had informed and sparkling, produces the effect of a fresh Fano "Indeed" I replied; "Blanchard Jerrold him that he had frequently seen persons at and everyweeting sherbet drank on a sum- Flying Eagle St. Albans regulating their watches by the mer's day in some leafy bower." He never Fontenaye Wonder coack as it came into that town. wrote better than upon the passing events of Franz's This was the only instance he had ever heard the bour; no subject was too frivolous, too Fyen of a coach regulating the time. It was clear serious, too private for his pen. On his that the conch could not have gained such marriage-day he sat down and wrote a Gloucester a name for regularity without good cattle feuilleton for the next Debats, in which he Gustav Adolph and good coachmen, and it was to the pro- desribed his wife, his courtehip, and every Hastings DENOUNCEMENT OF HAND-SHAKING prietors they were indebted. The fact event of his nuptials. He was never at a loss | Haze coach had nearly a horse to every mile for a theme a shower of rain a foggy even- Helena A society has been formed in France, of ground it ran, reckoning one way, ing, a retirement of a danseuse, the death of Hongkong under high auspices, for abolishing the or one side of the ground-for example, a flower girl, would suffice to bring forth Hopewell shake hands," as the act in question is is 158 miles, and the number of horses never was pen more digressive; it could never Kim Yung Tye pleasantly called, had become quite a kept for the Wonder coach was 150. keep in a straight path, but wandered hither Lizzie

honourable and profitable association between these days it would be nearly if not had set out to describe. — Temple Bar. AN AMERICAN'S IMPRESSIONS. If a tract of land equal to the area of Novelty and children that the practice of shaking 2130 to 2150, but they were generally hired England were suddenly added to the kingdom | Peter hands, or, as the members of the new society from the maker at from 2 d. to 8d. a by rising from the sea, and were equally Presto put it, "taking the body by the arm" - mile. The coachmen upon these fast coaches | divided among the inhabitants, the process Prince Louis as though the arm were a sort of haudle to were always well-conducted men; often well- of concentrating it in the hands of the few to Queen of the Fleet custom against which the authority of the great contrast to the old-fishioned coachmen immediately. The richer would bid for the Rowens Church has at last been invoked is said by of heavy coaches, who were too often drunkards, portions of the poorer, and would in the end Shooting Star the authors of this movement to have been and who were conspicuous, as I have already obtain them by fair bargain. This must be Sumatra. originally invented by the Freemasons, and remarked, for their inhumanity in the use of the result in any country where the accumula. Star of China to have been generally introduced in England | the double thong and a sort of cat-o-nine | tion of wealth is great, where land-ownership | S. G. Reed as a cheap and convenient means of currying tails talled "the apprentice," with which confers social distinction, and were the area Tartar of land is small relatively to the population. in proposing a solem renunciation of one of It was rather amusing, though mischiov. All three of these conditions exist in Engthe most characteristic of English customs lously so, to witness the consternation of the land. It would appear from this that what our French, friends are not preparing to inside passengers when some amateur on the is called land monopoly is not an economic William Turner and practices which they have thought fit to very fast team, the coachman would turn to perfectly natural and unconstrained course borrow from us. The late Dr. Verson, his companion and say, "If you have your of trade is an evil-which no economist can in his "Memoires d'un Bourgeois de driving-gloves on, and would like to take allow. Land in England is worth a certain Paris," frankly admits that cleanliness the reine over the next ten miles, you are sum per acre per annum for purpose of tillafter the year 1815. A return to the ancient in the affirmative. If a tyro accepted the that sum will be paid for it, however large custom of saluting by an inclination of the offer it was very easy to discover the differ or small the parcels into which it is divided. head will, it is said, lift those who pledge ence between the professional and the un- Is an undue amount of it witheld for deer themselves to it into association with the professional, which the borses themselves parks, pheasant preserves, and the like? It Egeria good and great of former times. The chief seemed to feel. They became sluggish; not appears that as to lands of similar utility - F ostensible promoter of the movement against all the "gee upping" and "go alonging," lands within the undisputed control of Par Frolio the custom of "shaking the body by the and the harmless use of the whip, the lash liamont, like the New Forest—the will of the Growler. arm," is the Abbé Defourny, of Beaumont. of which usually got entangled in the lamp people is be consulted by putting a stop to Hart The association of which the Abbe is the head or harness, could keep them up to their movements initiated some years ago for Hornet proposes, according to an Italian journal work. This was so apparent that some in transforming it into arable or pasture land, Keatrel which described not long ago the reception side passenger would put his head out and that it is to be kept as nearly in a state Lapwing of the Cure of Beaumont by the Pope, to of the window and inquire the cause of of nature as may be. If Lord Leigh and Midge "re-establish respect in families and to in- the creeping pace they were proceeding at. Lord Ripon are minded to keep large parks Modeste spire Christians with a horror for sedition "A heavy piece of road, Sir," responded the at their own expense, to beautify the lands. Mosquito and war." It farther appears from a French | coachman, who thought more of the guinea | cape and improve the air, I am not the one Ringdove journal, published at Tyons, that the Abbe or half-guinea he expected to receive than of to complain. Still less should I complain if Swinger Defouray "calls for the reprobation by eccle. the loss of time. "Why, I declare," said the I were an Englishman, having the landscape Sylvia stastical authority of a most disrespectful inquiring gentleman, resuming his seat, and air always at my service. The beauty Thatia usage which comes to us from the Freemasons, "there's a young fellow driving, and I rather of the English landscape, verdure of the and which consists in staking by the poignes think it must be his first attempt!" "Oh, the meadows, the fertility of the soil, the de main à l'Anglaise the gody of the person let me out!" excluims an elderly spinster; scientific and consumite methods of tillage whom it is intended to salute;" and that he "we shall be overturned." "Disgraceful?" employed, must impress the most careless "asks for the approbation of the Christian chimed in another. "It was only last week observer. We have nothing comparable to salutation which consists of kissing the hands that the Windsor coach met with an accident the expansive foliage of English trees, the

Cantain. Nation. Name. Let Jesus Christ he praised. Laudelur an old gentleman, just roused from his have we except in some of the more favoured Mentcalm Krantz SHIPPING IN THE CHINA WATERS. Consignees; Caplain. Vessel. WHAMPOA. the way of its being deeply desired" that the which caused all the insides to break though I had never beheld so bounteous STRAMBRE. new formula for wishing good morning should forth into the following exclamations | and promising a harvest in any land. Linein 69 I Kwak Acheong 684 Gibb) Livingston & Co Australia, "There, I told you!" "We are going over !" Horace White, in the Fortnightly Beview. Normanby

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